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## Holiday Merchandise

in the greatest variety. Couldn't begin to give you an idea in this space of the endless variety.

## Take the Toy Dept.

Occupies as much room as a large size ordinary store. All kinds—domestic and foreign. We invite you to come and bring the children. 'Tis a fairy land to them.

## The Great China Dept.

is brim full of all the new and desirable kinds, useful and ornamental, and priced so that 'twill pay you to come here.

## Furs

of all descriptions. All the desirable furs are represented in this great collection. We invite your critical inspection.

## Fine Linens.

Never has this store done such a linen business as this fall season. Great variety combined with lower prices is the reason. Medium to Finest Linens here. No want that cannot be supplied. Special prices this week.

## The Art. Dept.

is the mecca for thousands of shoppers these days. A complete stock of all the little "hard to get" articles you will find here, as well as the every day wants.

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Locke Shoe Company.

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## NOTICE

Commencing Monday, December 4, we will present each customer buying shoes of us the Handsomest 1900 Calendar that will be distributed in the city this season.

See this beautiful work of art in our windows. Remember, these are expensive, and positively will only be given with purchases.

We sell the best Ladies' Fine Dongola Shoe in Wheeling for \$2.00.

**LOCKE SHOE CO.**

John Friedel &amp; Co.

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## .....DINNER SETS.....

A LARGE ASSORTMENT AT VERY LOW PRICES.

100-piece China Dinner Sets.....\$17.50 on up to \$50.00  
Porcelain Dinner Sets.....\$ 5.85 on up to \$24.50  
We have a nice line of Silver Knives, Forks, Spoons, etc.  
Grand display of dressed Dolls and Toy Tea Sets.

**JOHN FRIEDEL & CO.,**

1119 MAIN STREET.

Alexandria Shoes.

## ..ALEXANDER..

is the only man selling the

## ALEXANDRIA SHOE FOR LADIES.

No matter what your taste in.... shape, material or weight may be, you can find it in the

## ALEXANDRIA.

Kay Brothers—Shoes.

## Gentlemen,

If you will look into our north window you will see a fair representation of our leading styles of

### MEN'S FOOTWEAR.

Prominent among others is our famous

## "Royal" \$3.50 SHOE.

A shoe which is sold in most prominent cities of our country. One of the best shoes in the market to-day. We are showing

21 STYLES.

TRY A PAIR OF "ROYALS."

## NAY BROS. Control This Shoe in Wheeling.

## The Intelligencer

Office: 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.  
New Engine House—Thomas O'Brien, City Clerk.  
For Rent or Sale—Theo. W. Fink & Co. Partnership—O. F. Rhodes.  
Notice to the Public—Retail Grocers' Protective Association.  
Thanksgiving Sack Gathering.  
Given Away Christmas Day—Snook & Co.  
Thanksgiving Sale—House & Hermann.  
Fifth page.  
Notice—Locke Shoe Co.—Eighth page.  
Canvas Leggings—McFadden's—Second page.  
Thanksgiving Dinner—Albert Stolze & Co.—Second page.

20,000.  
We have fitted more than twenty thousand pairs of Spectacles, giving us a record and experience unequalled by any other optician in West Virginia. Satisfaction guaranteed.  
JACOB W. GRUBB, Optician.  
No. 1500 Market Street.

## Special Bargains in Trousers

ONE WEEK ONLY, AND MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.

\$8.00—Fine English and French, reduced from \$10.00.  
\$7.00—Fine English and French, reduced from \$9.00.  
\$6.00—Fine Domestic, reduced from \$8.00.  
\$5.00—All Wool Domestic, reduced from \$6.00. At  
C. BESS & SONS',  
Fashionable Tailors and Furnishers,  
1321 and 1323 Market Street.

In Clerk Robertson's Office.  
In Clerk Robertson's office yesterday, the following transfer of real estate was recorded:

Deed made October 3, 1899, by J. L. Sawtelle and wife to Nicholas Straub; consideration, \$2,200; transfers part of the George Sawtelle farm in Ohio county.

Agreement made November 7, 1899, by George Cornett and Mrs. Barbara McNeil; co-partnership known as Cornett & McNeil to manufacture soft drinks.

Bill of sale; August Hotman to Emil Wilhelm; transfers restaurant outfit at 1525 and 1525 Market street; consideration, \$200.

Marriage licenses were issued to the following:

Harry M. Thornburg, aged twenty-nine, of Elm Grove, and Dora Silger, aged twenty-seven, of Clayville, Pa.  
Jesse J. Ennis, aged thirty-four, (widower), of Elm Grove, and Jennie Bell Nixon, aged thirty, of Wheeling.  
William H. Turner, aged twenty-three, of Sand Hill, and Mary L. Burt, aged seventeen, of Beham, Pa.  
William B. Thomas, aged thirty-seven, of Philadelphia, and Nannie Jones, aged forty, of Wheeling.

Two deeds of trust were recorded.

FINEST Fruit Cake in the city for Thanksgiving, at Ziegenfeller's.

Will Close on Thanksgiving.  
All stores have agreed to close all day Thanksgiving, but will be open the evening before, so buy before it is too late.

RETAIL CLERKS' ASSOCIATION.

## MOUNDSVILLE AND BENWOOD ROAD IS SOLD.

The Purchasers a Syndicate Made Up of Wheeling Men Who Are Interested in the

## WHEELING RAILWAY COMPANY.

The Papers Have Been Signed and the Deal Entirely Consummated, and Kept Quiet.

The Intelligencer is able to state this morning on authority which, though unofficial, cannot be questioned, that the Moundsville, Benwood & Wheeling Railway Company has sold its electric line between Moundsville and Benwood to a syndicate composed of Wheeling gentlemen who are interested also in the Wheeling Railway Company. Among the purchasers are Messrs. B. Walker Peterson, J. J. Holloway and W. E. Stone, all directors of the Wheeling company, and the first named its vice president.

The deal has been practically closed for several days, but the news did not leak out until last night, and then became known only in the best informed business circles.

The figures of the deal are not known accurately, but it was stated last night that the company clears a profit on the transaction, how much could not be learned. The company's capital stock is \$250,000, and it has an outstanding bond issue of \$100,000. It has nine miles of track, running from Moundsville to a connection with the Wheeling Railway's lines at Benwood. It was organized in 1895, the line was opened in 1896, under the original company, in which Colonel Ben Wilson, of Clarkburg, and J. C. Burchinal, of Moundsville, were the leading stockholders. It went into a receiver's (Howard Haslett's) hands a short time afterward, but was soon reacquired by the original owners, after which the company was reorganized, with Jere A. Miller president, and Alfred Pauli secretary and general manager.

Gentlemen connected with the Wheeling Railway Company could not be seen last night, owing to the lateness of the hour, so nothing of the plans of the purchasers could be ascertained, but doubtless the Moundsville line will be made a part of the former.

### The Deal Closed.

A. J. Smith, secretary of the West Virginia Glass Works, now a branch of the National Glass Company, was making the rounds yesterday, paying off the stockholders in the old company at the rate of \$1 75. Of course it is needless to say the stockholders were all satisfied, as they considered thirty-seven and one-half per cent a very good investment. The money they invested was only tied up for about two years.

### Funeral of Miss Wallace.

The funeral of Miss Eliza Wallace occurred yesterday afternoon from the residence of Mr. F. H. Lange. The services were held by Rev. N. S. Thomas, Rev. Jacob Brittingham and Rev. Dr. Wallace, the latter of Sewickley, Pa. The pall-bearers were Messrs. John M. Brown, Alex. R. Campbell, W. L. Glessner, Andrew Hare, Dr. W. S. Fulton, John Frew.

### Death of Mrs. Aschman.

Yesterday, at her home in Brooklyn, N. Y., occurred the death of Mrs. Martha E. Aschman, mother of Dr. G. A. Aschman, of this city, in the sixty-sixth year of her age. The family have the sincere sympathy of a host of friends. The funeral occurs to-morrow at Brooklyn.

### The Children's Home.

The Children's Home appeals once a year to the public at Thanksgiving time for household donations. Sacks to the number of thirty-five hundred are being distributed throughout the city. Put within them anything useful, and an expressman will call for them Friday and Saturday of this week.

ORDER your Ice Creams and Water Ices, all flavors and forms, for Thanksgiving, at Ziegenfeller's. Telephone 491.

ALL popular styles, HODSHON, the hatter, No. 1064 Main street.

### Thanksgiving Rates.

The Wheeling & Lake Erie will sell tickets at reduced rates on account of Thanksgiving, November 28 and 30, good returning December 1.

Song Recital, auspices Woman's Club, Carroll Club Auditorium, Monday evening, December 4. Alice Lincoln Dean, contralto, of New York, assisted by Choral Club. Seats at House's.

SATISFACTION guaranteed. HODSHON, the hatter, No. 1064 Main street.

The Hub Clothiers.

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## No Better Way to Win Trade,

and retain it has been discovered than giving and continuing to give the best merchandise at the lowest prices. We do it, hence our success.

Your decision as to qualities and values is arrived at nowhere so easily as here on

### MEN'S SUITS.

GOOD does not begin to express the quality of this line of styles, principally single and double breasted suits in almost any desirable pattern. Cost you \$12 to \$15 everywhere, but here they are..... \$10

BETTER or more suitable suits than these for dress or business wear have not been discovered; made up in all the new styles of Cheviots, Meltons and Westeds, and so much value for so little price will surprise and please you. They are worth \$3 to \$5 more; we will win trade by selling them at \$12

BEST Suits shown at any price are not the equal of these. Every style and fall fashion plate exactly reproduced; foreign and domestic Worsteds, Cheviots, Cassimeres with one exception; everything harmonizes (the trimmings with the materials, and the make with all) except the prices, which is \$28 to \$30 \$15 at your tailors, but here..... \$15

The difference in price admits of no comparison in extent of variety. We invite comparison.

### OVERCOATS.

Men's All-Wool Overcoats in Blue and Black, Brown Kerseys and Coverts such as will cost you \$10.00 elsewhere, you need not be a close server to see these are exceptional values at..... \$6.45

Men's Fine All-Wool Dress Coats, tailor made and trimmed perfectly, materials are Black, Blue and Brown Kerseys, and Meltons. All the late shades of Coverts, some with fancy woven backs; Silk sleeve lining and facings; there is no easier way to save dollars than buying these \$10 \$12 and \$15 Overcoats at..... \$6

Men's Finest Dress Overcoats, imported English Meltons, Kerseys, Black, Brown and Oxford Coverts in all the latest shades; satin yokes, Worsteds linings, perfect in every detail, style the latest; fit perfect; quality beyond compare. Make comparison with \$20 and \$22 garments elsewhere and we will sell you one \$15 at..... \$10

### BOYS' CLOTHING.

What excuse is there for dressing the boys in shapeless, ugly clothes? None; it's an offense. A little money secures so much of style and quality here that clothing buying for the boys is a pleasure. Take the time to try them on; criticize deliberately, do this as frequently as you care to, and you'll conclude that here is the Boys' Clothing centre. This week a clever line of Boys' Reefers at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00. Boys' Top Coats \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00, \$8.50. Pants made from the finest Worsteds, worth \$2.00 and \$2.50 per pair, as long as they last at \$1.00. See our Boys' All-Wool Suit at \$2.50. Money back if you say so.

# THE HUB,

Strictly One Price.

Clothiers, Hatters, Furnishers.

MARKET AND FOURTEENTH STREETS.

Baer's Clothing House.

Baer's Clothing House.

## Men's Overcoats.

Most any overcoat looks good on the outside, good cloth is found most anywhere, but the workmanship, that keeps it good looking through the weeks and months, is rare—rarest when prices are little as these.

\$7.50 and \$8.50 { All Wool Blue, Black or Brown Kersey and light colored Cassimere Overcoats.

\$10.00 { The popular "Covert" Overcoat, full box cut, double stitched and lapped seams—all the latest shades.

\$12.00 { Stylish Herringbone, Whipcord and Melton Overcoats, in Tan, Brown, Oxford and Olive Mixtures.

In our large assortment you are sure to find what you want in your size, and if an alteration can improve the fit in the slightest degree, it will be cheerfully and skillfully made.

# LEE BAER,

Twelfth St.

Clothing.

### KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Excursion to Pittsburgh—\$1.35 via B. & O.—\$1.35—Thanksgiving Day, November 30.

First battalion of the First West Virginia regiment, Uniformed Rank, also the subordinate lodges, K. of P., accompanied by Melster's band, will leave on a special train from the Baltimore & Ohio station, promptly at 8:30 a. m. Thursday, November 30. One coach will be reserved for ladies. Returning a special train will leave Pittsburgh at midnight, but tickets will be honored on any regular train leaving Pittsburgh before that hour. Fare for the round trip only \$1 35. Tickets can be purchased by any one, and will be good returning until the following Saturday, inclusive. Make your arrangements to take in this excursion, and get tickets at once from: Edward Higgins, Mutual Bank; R. E. Schafer, John W. Norrington, committee, or at Baltimore & Ohio ticket office.

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### Dick's Shining Parlors.

Dick's Shining Parlors, for ladies and gentlemen, at the corner of Market and Fourteenth streets, are prepared to give

your shoes the best shine possible. shoes called for and delivered without extra charge. Ladies' shoes will receive special attention. Entrance on Fourteenth street.

### Thanksgiving Excursions on the B. & O.

November 29th and 30th, excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates from all stations west of the Ohio river, including the Wheeling and Pittsburgh division, valid for return passage until December 1, inclusive.



When you feel that you have tried everything and everyone, consult us. A daily occurrence is the surprise shown by the benefited patients at our office.  
Do you have headache? Do your eyes water? Do they smart or burn? Does the print run together when reading? For any trouble of your eyes consult us. We make glasses at popular prices. Make a careful examination free of charge.

### PROF. H. SHEFF,

The Scientific Optician..... Corner Mala and 11th St.

# ➔ GIVEN AWAY CHRISTMAS DAY! ➔

One Mechanical, Musical Doll, Value.....\$35.00.  
One Handsomely Dressed Doll, Value.....\$ 14.00.  
One Mechanical Pig With Dog, Value.....\$ 12.50.

Each fifty cents worth of merchandise bought between now and Christmas will entitle the purchaser to a coupon containing a printed number. Three of the numbers given out will represent the above prizes. These three winning numbers have been supplied by a reputable gentleman from New York City, and have been securely sealed and placed in our safe. We do not ourselves know the winning numbers, but on Christmas day the envelopes containing these will be opened by a committee of disinterested parties and the fortunate numbers announced in the daily papers. Save every coupon till then—you may be the owner of one of the lucky numbers.

## Now for the Christmas Rush!

times as much toy space as we had last year, and this barely suffices. Mechanical Toys a specialty. Every line enlarged, and many new lines here that embrace novelties never before shown in Wheeling. Goods are advancing right along, but we're still selling at old prices and in some favored instances at less. New Electric Arches—new display cases—and plenty of extra salespeople to serve you. Buy early! Avoid the rush, and secure the choicest. We'll store 'til wanted.

# GEO. M. SNOOK & COMPANY.